

# ANNOUNCEMENT

In this issue of THE CANADIAN MAGAZINE we publish actual experiences of a Canadian journalist, Mr. Britton Cooke, at the battle-front. Next month we shall publish the actual experiences of two Canadian lady journalists in Europe—Miss Margaret Bell, in London, and Miss Mona Cleaver, at Paris. Both articles give intensely interesting sidelights on conditions in these two great cities. One deals with hardships endured by residents in the poorer districts of London, the other with relief measures extended to refugees who have sought shelter at the French capital. ¶ Then there will be an intimate, yet impressionistic sketch of Constantinople, the Turkish capital that the Allies failed to reach, by Miss Florence Withrow. It describes the bazaars, the Seraglio, and the colour and movement of this great link between East and West. ¶ To take one away from the present strife, there is an excellent article on Batoche, a forgotten capital, once the headquarters of the disturbing forces in Western Canada. It is written by H. W. Hewitt, and is amply illustrated. ¶ It is not generally known that in some parts of New Brunswick the inhuman method of dealing with poor persons by hiring them out publicly, is still, or at least has been quite recently, practised. We shall publish an article by A. M. Belding, describing this inhuman practice and giving a history of it in New Brunswick. ¶ There will be other features in the form of readable essays and short stories, among them "Romance", an extraordinary bit of fiction, by Mazo de la Roche, with drawings by Maud McLaren.

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